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American citizen, to assist in facilitating the business of this office, and should be commended, not condemned and criticised. The first Gorman morchant that howled against the appointment of an American merchant sa Consular officer is himself a Vice-Consul, and the methods by which he secured the post are well known. By reference to the Chroniele and Directory' for 1898 it will be seen that all the Consular officers in Cauton, save those of

Great Britain, the United States, France, and Portugal, are Germans and German It is claimed that six British merchants had signed the German protest. Your ocr. respondent has seen the aforesaid doonment resembles a Rhine wine list. There are, it is true, three names not German on the

and the names of the signers thereof. list, but they are of individuals who never involved a pound or a dollar's worth of goods from Canton to the United States, and it is a question whether the man who signed the three names had authority for his German-like action, but as agent for shippers of Gernian goods brought to German morchants the suggestion of duress is natural and obvious.

As an American citizen your corres ondent availed himself of his right, as such, to ask for information concerning dommercial documents and papers of the nature of oath or affirmation as the American law requires of all morehants exporting goods to the United States to make personally before the American Consul. The desired ducumonte were promptly produced for the inspection of your correspondent. It is ob-German merchants who rushed into type. North Kwa Chon. may, in time, realize the fact, that an The Wilds of Hu-pet. American vitizen need not be a Con- is Ch'uan Ph nts. sular officer to have the right to examine American Consular invoices, and yet the frantic German who signs him. solf Merchant in your lasuo of the 25th instant says, No merchant in the world could quietly submit to have all his involves examined by a competitor, Who is he who presumes to speak for all the mer- compiled by the Nautical Almanac Office chants in the world? Can this German in London from the result of the shalysis Fabrenhett. who signs himself 'Merchant' be one of of observations taken by means of an authe German merchants of Cauton who at tomatic tide recording machine in the Watempted to defraud the Imperial Maritime ter Police Basin at Tem Sha Taui during 100. Customs of China by endeavouring to have passed through the Custom House at Canton a quantity of American goods which he valued at less than one half the actual coat to be 2 feet below mean see level. of the goods ! Tale glaring undervaluaden was quickly detected and the greedy

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Vice-Consul and for two years Acting Consul. Mr T. B. Cunningham, a merchant, was for four years Vice-Consul at Canton. It is a time-honoured custom in China to appoint merchants to the offices of Vice-Consula. - A merchant will quickly detect under-valuation and thus protect the United States Treasury from frauds like that exposed by the Chinese Customs. officer at Canton, beside protecting honest

merchants. Consistancy thou art, a jewel' 'made in Germany.'-Very truly, AN AMERICAN MERCHANT

IN CHINA. Canton, 30th July, 1898,

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Hongkong, August 1, 1808. UNITED STATES AND CHINA-JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

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Agents. Hongkong, July 30, 1898. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

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I HE U.S. Mai. Steamship GLENGYLE will be despatched for BAN FRAN-OISOO, vid SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND -BEA, YOKUHAMA and HONOLULU, on THURSDAY, the 4th August, at Noon, salong Passengers and Brought the Japan, and Unsted States, and

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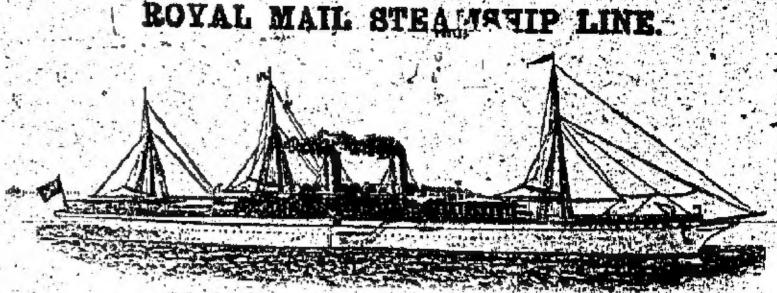
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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

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London, July 31. DEATH OF PRINCE BISMARCK. Prince Bismarck after a serious relapse died at 11 o'clock on Saturday night. The Emperor is deeply affected and abandoning his tour in Norway, returns to Germany.

THE PEACE PROPOSALS. The Washington Cabinet has decided on the conditions of peace, viz.: The cession of Puerto Rico, the recognition of Cuban independence and cession of one of the Ladrone islands. No armistice will granted.

The United States refuse to assume the debts of Cubs and Puerto Rico.

The future of the Philippines is left to the decision of a Hispano-American Commission. America in the meanwhile controlling Manila and its vicinity, also Cuba pending the establishment of stable Government

THE IRISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.

The frish Local Government Bill passed all stages in the House of Lords.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the

On the 2nd at 11.10 a. Red Drum At 11.45 a. The barometer has risen in Haiphong, and continues to full slowly on the S. and S.E. coasts of China. Probably the depression is situated to the W. of N. Luzon, apparently moving W. N. W. Forecast :- moderate N. winds, mobably, increasing; weather becoming unsettled.

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

The ordinary half-yearly meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., was held to-day in the offices of the Co., No. 18 Bank Buildings. Hon. J. J. Bell Irving The others present were: A. Gomoz and N A. Siebs T. Arnold (Secretary), D. Gillies, A. Eilis, Wo Hon, E. J. Moses, A. A. Craz, Captain W. E. Clarke, E. H. Joseph, J. R. Michael, J. N. Goosmann, H. M. Mehta, E. Georg and J. H.

The Secretary read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said - Gentlemen, before proceeding with the business of the meeting I desire to mention that the Secretary received a note this morning stating that owing to indisposition the Chairman would be mable to preside. I am sure you will all learn with regret the reason why Mr Bolili is is not in -the-chair. With your permission. I propose to treat the report and accounts as read. At our last queeting a wish was expressed that the Company should adopt a somewhat firmer attitude in dealing with the native opposition on the river. Your Directors had at that time already in contemplation the adoption of some such measures as those suggested and were glad to have an expression of opinion | repulsed. rom the meeting which strengthoned them in their resolve. The measures adopted have naturally had the effect of diminish ing the earnings of our steamers, consequantly your Directors think it prudent in view of contingencies, to recommend the payment of a dividend somewhat smaller than the usual one and to husband our resources by carrying forward a substantial sum-to-wext half-year's accounts. With regard to the unfortunate collision between the Powan and Kronngles referred to at our last meeting, I regret that such slow progress has been made towards a settlement. The matter is still occupying our Law Courts, but I think it due to shareholders to say that with the view of avoiding heavy logal expensions effort was made by your Hoard to suttle the truestion of damages amicably before liti. gation commenced. The judgment in the case in exactly in accord with the terms upon which we offered to come to a settle-That judgment, was appealed against by the owners of the Krauns. iss, but was affirmed by the Court tif Appeal, and considering the carefully. warded devision, and the numerous cases vited therein by our learned judges, and the oircumstances connected with the collision, it is highly improbable that the inguent to the Privy Countil with which we niv now threatened will succeed. The loss is one essentially apportaining to Insuremes and such proportion as may not be recoverable ander our Policies, will. stated in the report, be charged to the Depreciation and Insurance Funds When hast we met your chairman said that the Board in conjunction with the other Compsuries interested in the trade would shortly be consid ring the question of building for the West River, and as you will have observed in the accounts, s beginning in that direction has been made by the order of two tow-boats and four lighters. These are for the direct line from Hongkong to Wuchow, and the Company's interest in them is one third. stops towards ordering larger steamers for the line from Canton to Wuchow have been taken pending settlement of the question of routes and places of call. Hitherto. we have been at a very great disadvantage on this line by being bound down to one particular route and to certain places of call, whereas, our competitors, the Chinese Companies, are allowed to take any route they choose and to call where they like. The only remark called for in connection with our investments is that the item of Loans on Mortgage has decreased by about 819,000 and our Investments in stocks increased by a similar amount. Before proposing the adoption of the report and ac-

shareholders may wish to put. No questions were asked, and the Chairman proposed the adoption of the report and accounts as presented. Air Cillies-Gentlemon, I beg to second the adoption of the report and statement of good |---BCo unte.

counts, I shall be pleased to answer any

questions in connection therewith which

Carried unanimously. Mr Georg proposed the re-election of Mosers N. A. Siebs and C. Beurmann as

Mr Michael seconded. Carried unanimously: Mr Jussph proposed the re-election of Mesers Honderson and Courdin as auditors.

Mr Moses socurided. Carried. The Chairman Thouk you for your atdance, gentlement 1/1vidend warrants will be given to those who apply for them. at the district to morrow morning.

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THEWAR.

ABANDONMENT OF SPANISH POSITIONS.

SPANIARDS PREPARING FOR DESPERATE RESISTENCE. FIVE SPIES CONDEMNED TO

DEATH. A MUSICAL SOIREE AT CAVITE: GENERALS FRATERNISE, ATTEMPTED ESCAPE OF SPANISH

PRISONERS. . . AMERICAN SOLDIER WOUNDED.

From Our Special Correspondent with the U. S. Army.)

U. S. Army Headquarters,

· CAVITE, July 24, 1898, There are evidences that the Spanish garrison is preparing for a stout resistence on the landward side. Their retreat before the Filipino forces has been a matter of surprise, but after the stiff fight at Bacour they were driven back gradually through Las Piñas, Paranaque, and Pasay, fine ground for defensive operations, abandoning entrenchment after entreuchment until they reached the fortifications and more substantial carthworks at San Pedro de with mimotonous regularity they have fought nightly, varied only by the recent sortie. It is now evident that they have begun a movement to concentrate their forces on an inner line of entrenchments south of Manila. Early yesterday morning there was heavy fighting before Santa Ana, after which the Spanish forces fell back from the English Cemutery at San Pedro, where they had held a strong position, upon the Santa Ana entremehments. They still hold the blockhouse close to the Cometery, their fire covering the road to San Pedro; thus preventing the insurgents from taking any advantage from the retreat. Une insurgent was killed during the fighting. The Spaniards have also fallen back from Mindeyalayon on the north side of the Pasig River, into Santa Mesa, but here also. because the Santa Mesa batteries command the village. Five mestize spies were taken by the insurgents on Thursday night on the the twenty-third's guard, wounding Private line fronting Malate. They had passes from Captain General Augustin passes were concealed in eigarettes. General Norial held a court-martial, and the

five men were condemned to death. Last night the Spaniards made another sortio upon Passy, General Norial's headquarters. This is the township I visited some days ago when I went into the trenches. For a time, the bullets rained ties-reported-are the death of a man and a woman while asleep in their house. The no opportunity is given for the preparation Spanish loss is unknown. The sortie was of a concerted attempt to escape. Letters

Last night, a concert was given in the Ateneo Rizal, Cavite, to General Anderson is a copy of the programme :-

ATENEO-RIZAL el Sabado, 23 del curiente a las ocho y media de su noche,

Marcha nacional Americana. Verdi. - Sinfopia de Giovanna de Arco, para violin, violoncelloy piano, por los Sres. MUELLER, CABANGIS y FELIPE. Vives. No Volvera, melodia para canto

y piano, por la Srta. Gustodio y Sr.

. Marques. - Primera Liggima, melodia para violin y piano, por los Sres. MUZLEER

Matter. - 'Non Torno,' romanza para canto y plano, por la Erts. Custodia y si Sr. FELIPE. Gounod .- 'Serenato,' pata victin, victin.

celle y piano, por les Sres. Mueller, CARASSIS, y Pacific. diveres - In Partida, cancien para canto y plane, per la Bria. Uteropia y Sr. FELIPE.

Marcha nacional Filipids. To the official programme was added laneforte solo (variations on the Chinase air 'Sin Fa.') of his own composition by Escanillios, a member of General Agulnaldo's staff, and a violin solo hy Mr Mueller, the Bandmaster of the Oregon Volunteers, who as a pupil of the relebrated oachim, unheld the musical regutation of his native Germany and the land of his sdoption. The concert was a rare musical troat, the singing of Senorita Adelina Custodis being charming. This young lady is

possessed of a fine natural voice, well worthy

of further cultivation.

The 'Ateneo Rizal' partakes of the mature of a Club, but is in reality a Filipino Academy, It was gaily decorated and illu- EXCLUDING NATIVES FROM minated, and the congregation of the youth and beauty of the insurgent families of standing was surprising to those who had not already partaken of Filipino hospitality. Mr Felipe Buencamino, the President, was the genial host of the evening, receiving his foreign guests with oatholio cordiality. Admiral Dewey's duties prevented him from accepting the hospitality of the Academy. but General Anderson attended accompanied by Major Jones, Lieut. Allen, A.D.C., Lieut, Brice, A. D. C., and Mr Van Winkle Anderson, and during the evening General Riego de Dios, lipino Commander in Chief in Cavite, and General Morgardo also attended, torrother with their personal stella, and the from Baccor came over for the night. A to which we are becoming habituated in also present. Prior to the contact General Anderson and his staff were Entertained at dinner. The menu is worth placing on re-

Supa de la Libertad. Chiletes Usperal Anderson. Postado del Almirante Dewey. Pastel Racipunan Jamun da Musya Kork Rostbil en salsa de armistad y con-Ireternided. Postres - Variados 6 Manila Fristan-Granadas, capquias, y materallos Vinos-Champang y Clarete. Lavits, 28 de Julio de 1895.

the Club by his guests, and spoke of the cordial friendship that existed between the Filipinos and the Americans, 4 friendship everyone present wished to maintain for ever. He requested General Anderson to convey to President McKinley and the American people the thanks of the Filiping people and to assure the President that though far distant there was an irrevocable bond of sympathy between the peoples. General Anderson gracefully ackbowledged the high compliment paid to Admiral Dewey and himself, and assured Senor Buencamino that he would convey his message to President McKinley. H toped the friendship established between the Filipinos and the Americans would be everlasting, and that nothing would occur to mar the harmony that now existed, As the American people had won their own freedom so they wished all others to be free. The main principle underlying the American constitution was that all should have a right to life, liberty and happiness and based on this principle the American people had become prosperous and happy. ing the American example with the same success. He advised them, however, to fight for measures, not mon. The Americans knew the Filipines had been oppressed, and they had come to fight those oppressors: As they had a common cause be able to return in Manila the compliment that had been paid to him in Cavite. which Senor Busicumino and the other Macake, Santa Ana, and Malate. Here Filipines in the neighbourhood of General Anderson emptied their champagne glasses

> After the concert, the floor was cleared. and an imprompty darker opened with the native rigodon, a form of quadrille. It is to be hoped that the friendly sentinents expressed on both sides will have a beneficial effect, and that they will help to coment a permanent rapprochement between the Philippine Islanders and the people of the Great American Republic.

CAVITE, July 25, 1898. Last night, the camp was twice startled by the reports of rifles. Guards turned out, and officers on duty hurried with all possible despatch to acertain the cause of

It appears that one of the sentinels at Fort San Felipe saw, or imagined he of Hamlet's father, stealing along the ramparts. No reply being vouchsafed to the customary challenge the sentinel The Arsonal guard, supplied by the 23rd Regiment, at once fell in, and the insurgents have been unable to advance I while standing there the rifle of one of the Artillery guard went off accidentally. built hit the fortifications. Unfortunately, the splinters travelled in the direction of A. L. Moore, 23rd Regiment, in three places in the leg. The wounds are superficial. The Later in the evening, two shots were fired by another sentinel in the same fort. The man is confident that he saw someone moving about the walls. It was thought at first that some of the Spanish prisoners were trying to escape. A muster of the prino one has been able to explain.

The prisoners inside Fort San Felipe (it might very appropriately be atyled Fort Geary) are allowed to received visits from heavily about the town, but the only fatali- the prisoners in the city, but the interviews take place in the presence of the corporal of the guard, so that, spe king generally,

also carefully censurised. I cannot understand why any of the prisoners should want to escape into the city and the officers of his staff: The following of Manila. The Spaniards under American supervision were probably never better off Concierto Musical que en honor del Al- than they are now, beyond the irksomeness mirante de la Escuadra Americana Mr | of incarceration in the Fort, and in this Dewey y del General de las tropas Mr | respect their lot-is no worse if no better ANDERSON, se verificara en el Salon del than that of most of us with the army. story is told by the insurgent officials that an attempt was made a night or two ago by | will. a Spanish officer to decape from Cavite to Manila in a native banca He- was foiled and re-arrested. Upon him, it is said documents written in cipher were found.

Isabelo Artacho is still detained as a prisoner at Bacoor, but there are hopes that the false accusations brought against him will be disproved and that he' will soon regain his liberty. Sandisc, who is well known in Hongkong, lives in Cavite, He is unattached at present, but those who know how earnestly he has worked for the cause of liberty in the Philippines will be pleased whon the announcement is made that he faithful corvices are rewarded. It would be matter of genuine ro rat to the foreign element if this intelligent young follow's disinterested work passed without recogni-

This afternoon, the funeral took place Sergt. William J. Evans, C Company, 1st Nebraska Regiment. Evans hes suffered from erysipelus on board ship, and when landed at Cavite there was a large gangrenous sore on his levs. The condition of the man was so slow that the ductors the consultation agreed that to give him chance of recovery amputation was necessary. The operation was performed a few days ago, and it was at first thought he would recover; but Evans did not rally and death occurred at 11 o'clock last night.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION AT MANILA BAY.

CAVITE ARSENAL.

A BARING RECONNAISANCE. RELEASE OF PRISONERS. THE CORPS OF WAR CORRESPON-

DENTS. (From our Special Correspondent, with the

U. S. Army.) U. S. Army Headquarters,

CAVITE, July 29, 1898.

According to all precedents and authorities war is a terrible business, but if all wars were conducted in the leasurely, resmajority of President Aguinaldo's staff pectable, bloodless, out-for-a-holiday style fow American officers and civilians were Cavite they, would lose much of their terrors and, at the same time, much of their interest. Between reveille and retreat, the troops get through plenty of work; there is drill, mounting guard, retreat parade, when due homage is paid The earlier. The natives of Cavite have en-Star Spangled Banner t there are countleds details to be attended to, but thers are all humdrum, laborious duties with none of the pomp and circumstates and glory of actual werfare | and it requires a vivid imagination and un doublishes and we therefore guest that The China Greatic understands that in a little in the China Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the China Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands that it is a consistent to the china Greatic understands the

language, he acknowledged the honour paid | Here, as we sit tight and see day succeed of Pasay. The Astor Battery landed at day, transport arrive after transport, regiment after regiment proceed to - unmitigated onnui. Incidents so mre that the croise of a warship in the Bay is sufficient to start rumours of trouble with the foreign powers, the imminent bombardment of Manila, the approach of the Spanish squadron or some other equally abound carnerd

.There is a rumour that General Merritt who, as Governor-General of the Philippines, holds absolute command, will give the Spanish garrison of Manila an opportunity to surrender. This is the most merciful course to pursue, and if the Spaniards have consideration for the lives and property of the inhabitants of the city they should take this opportunity to avoid fur-They would like to see the Filipines follow- ther bloodshed. There was a move on the part of the Roman Catholic clergymen ac companying the American troops to get into the city in order to hold a conference with the Archbishop with a view of presnow, he hoped for a firm and continuous | sure being brought to bear upon the milifriendship-(cheers). He hoped he would tary authorities in favour of capitulation I do not know the trege cause of the failure (Loud and enthusiastic cheering, during of this project. It was baulked, and probably by the combatants on the American side. Not, I conjecture, because they would object to a surrender, but because in incessant mins, sometimes waistdeep in the psychological moment had not arrived for this move. The whole interest of the situation centres round the imminent political changes. The Filipinos have established a so-called Revolutionary Government acknowledging President Aguinaldo as the head with what appears to be absolute regal powers. Proclamations are issued every other day by the President. These proclamations deal more particularly with details of minor, importance, but they all indicate one prefermment idea, viz., that Aguinaldo and his party anticipate the saw, a figure, like the uneasy ghost ultimate immediate il session of absolute control in these islands, an assumption wholly unjustified. The Filipinos do not seem to understand that the American troops we e sent to the Philippine Islands to conquer the Spanish troops, not necessarily to free the natives from the Spanish yoke. Doubtless there was, and still is, considerable sympathy in the United States with the Filipino people. For hundreds of years the Filipinos have suffered rather than profited from Western civilisation. In recent years the natives have been very harshly treated, mainly, it is believed, soners inside the Fort shows that no one is through the machinations of the sacerdotal missing. What the ghost-like objects were faction, which rules supreme throughout these fertile islands. The people of the

United States, in common with European: all over the world, have read with indignation of the cruel treatment of the natives. and attempts have got been wanting to justify the rebellion of 1896. But there is received or written by the prisoners are something more than political sympathy involved in the present crisis. The United States entered upon this war without any the 28th inst., E. J. Jehnson, D Company, well-defined policy further than a declaration of the independence of Cubs. The naval battle in Manila was a more incident of the war between Spain and the United States of North America. Without question, pass into history as one of the most glorious achievements of the warone of the most daring and dashing naval exploits of the century. But it was a more incident, and it was evidently not till Admiral Dowey so thoroughly thrashed Admiral Montojo that the politicians of the houses in the town, and converted

the problem of the future of the Philip-

nhalitants of these islands are not a con-

crete people like the initabitants of the

sines. A serious problem it is, too

British Islands, France or Germany. - They are not homogeneous. They do not know each other, have but limited means of com- ing all the wards, and found the patients muncation. They do not speak the same well dared for, and as chaerful as might language; have not the same religious beliefs, follow different oustones, have different habite, and little or no idea of soifgovernment: Granted that President Aguinaldo and his inntediate rotinue are woll educated, level-headed, capable, intelligent men, with no self-seeking alms, inbued cololy by a desire for the betterment of their fellow-men and the creation of a powerful government on mudertt principles, and the gradual evolution of the tabe along the lines pursued by Japan; granted all this, it is a fact that Agginaldo and his party do not represent the people of these islands. They do not even represent the people of this island of Luzon. The masses of the people have not the intelligence to enter into the political intrigues of the leaders of the factions, have no interest in their own political fate, and that is the chief reason why Aguinaldo holds his pre-sminent position. Aguinaldo and other Filipino loaders, who the official report of the fight to the are, I believe, really anxious to improve the condition of the people, seem to me to fail in their appreciation of the political aspect listic confreres. By the Newport, of their action. Their better course is to Frank D. Millet, another Special co-oporate with the Americans. If they do respondent of The Times, arrived on the the Club will give a dinner to Dr Grace, been entrusted with some important cases the islands were they to obtain absolute independence to-morrow-then intervational complications must ensue, and the latter end of the Filipinos will be worse than the first,

and the Islands might then by in a batter condition for self-government. At present, it is impostible. From General Morritt we expect a proclamation in a few days. An indication of the American policy was given yesterday, when an order was given for the exclusion from the mayal yard and arsenal of all natives not employed within the gates. This order ought to have been given

for the re-establishment of Spanish domi-

riched thomselves at the expense of the For several days the troops at Camp Dowey have been subjected to torrential good, but in this tropical climate it is not July 14.

Tambo on the 27th inst, the men carrying their belongings ashore through a heary surf. They commenced to erect a relter front, the predominant feeling is ennui tents during a tropical downpour of rain. The men worked cheerfully and with a will, and their fine physical condition will enable them to endure much more trying experiences. The Battery has been posted upon the right of the camp, thrown well forward towards the insurgent trenches and within easy range of the Spanish lines. The Spaniards, however, treat the Americans with respect. They do nothing to provoke action on the part of the American Generals or Admiral Dewey. The American position at Tambo, commanded by General Greene, is strong enough to repulse a sortie should the Spaniards resort to this desperate ex-

Spaniards and the insurgents for four days Neither side fights in rain .- There is a srn Cuha from Acerridores in the south to shortage of firewood in the American camp, and on several occasions the natives have to transport General Toral's troops to Spain driven off with knives the soldiers sent out to forage, but though conflict seemed more than once inevitable the American officers been appointed to arrange the necessary have been able to restrain their men. Major Boll, of the Bureau of Military

Information, accompanied by Lieutenant Connor, of the Engineers, and Mr K Engelskjon, returned the other day from what was probably the most daring recompaisance yet carried out from the Norwegian, formerly resident in Manila, who has been assisting the authorities since the arrival the troops at Cavite. The small party was huded by the Petrel on the north side of the city, and they travelled for three days mud, completely circling the city and coming out at Passy. It was a real scouting expedition. Despite the inclemency of the weather, the trin crept up to the Spanish defences at all the important points, and were twice fired upon, once in the vicinity of the tranches at Binondo come tery and again at Santol. Major Bell and Lieut. Commor were successful in obtaining valuable sketches and topographical cipal authorities, under the control of an information. I saw them when they re- American Military Governor." turned; and three more pitiable objects it would be difficult to conceive. They had laid down their arms, General Shafter reslept for three nights in their rain solden, mud-begringed clothes, sometimes in close proximity to the Spanish lines at the mercy well worthy of recognition. The two Swiss subjects held as suspects

have been released, and have returned to the mines which were laid in the harbour Manila probably sadder and wiser men, of Santiago. Seven Spanish prisoners have also been Two were doctors and two assistant survate soldiers. These prisoners were brought opened to neutral commerce, onhas an unorviable reputation. The son of a Spanish officer commanding a regiment in Cuba, he culis ed at the age of 14, and is now only 23 years of age. He was the sergeant in command of the shooting party which executed most of the Cavite insurgents. One day, in the Fort, he was recognised by the son of one of the executed men, and the young fellow made a rush at the sergeant as if to avenge his sire's death. The guard intervened. The sergeant and two privates were very sick when transferred

to Manila There have been two deaths in the camp, and two more mournful processions to the little cemetery within the fort at Cavite Private E. J. Nicolls, H Company. 1st Californian Volunteers, died on the 26th inst. He injured his spine on the voyage across by falling into a coal-hole on paralysis ever since. Recovery was from the first, impossible, but the actual cause death was abcess of the Bladder. On 2nd Oregon Volunteers, succumbed to an attack of typhoid fover. He was a native of Pendleton, Oregon. There are soveral cases of typhold fever and measles in the hospitals, but the health of the men generally is good, as may be judged from the fact that there is only some 80 odd cases under treatment in hospital. Few of hese cases are due to climatic causes. Major McCarthy and his assistants deserve the greatest credit for the energetic manner in which they have worked the interests of the invalide. have gradually acquired some of the United States began seriously to consider them into hospitals, and although it is too which to expect the hospitals to vie with a well-equipped general hospital in a European city it spacks volumed for the medical staff that they have been able to accomplish so much with such limited means I went tound the haspitals rectarday, visit-

have been expected. I thaniot conclude this letter without refirring to two important blianges in the corps of newskaper correspondents. M: dent of the New York Hora d, whose des. cription of the Battle of Cavite, as ulserved from the bridge of the American Hauship Osympia, is the best presented to the public, leaves to-day by the Zofro. He in another natal engagement peace is concludes. Mr Stickney is excoedingly popular on board the American ships, a fact which is easily understood by those who have had the privilege of his companionship. He has introduced a new

feature in naval warfare. He was the first newspaper correspondent to stand on the magement. He acted as aide to Admiral Dewey, by whom he was mentioned in resc. Naval Department. He carries with him the good wishes of all his tion, both as an artist and war correspondent: "He went through the Russo-Turkish war in company with General Greene now in command of one of the brigades. AMERICANS OCCUPY INSURGENT

nion would undoubtedly be the outcome A correspondent writes that shortly after of international intervention. Given a few midnight on July 28, the American troops years of American protection and the deveoccupied the insurgent lines for several lopment of the country by foreign capital, hundred pards, including the position moatest the Spanish works. The insurgents yielded the front at the request of General Merritt.

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The ill-fated P. & O. yessel, the Gonges, her has been considerably reduced. An majority of meanly 4,000 votes. It is attempt will be made to float her to might, reidently a tonatituency where no Concertant if the is got off it is probable that she vative need apply.)

will be towed off to Majagon or some other Tankings attable to a government.

WATER POLO LEAGUE. The following is the official table of re-

sults to the 31st July :-Played Won Drawn, Lord, for aget, Pin

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(Times of Ceylon,) FALL OF SANTIAGO, -THE TERMS OF CAPITULATION.

London, July 14th. - Santingo has nur condered after a conference between Generals Toral and Shafter, at which it was agreed that the following conditions should There has been no fighting between the form the basis of capitulation :- The surrender of Santiago, with the whole of East. Sagua in the north; the Americans to agree in American ships, the Spanish officers retaining their awords. Commissions have

AN AMERICAN GENERAL DOWN WITH YELLOW PEVER.

It is reported that General Duffield been attacked with yellow fever at Santi-THE NUMBER OF PRISONERS TAKEN AT SANTIAGO,

July 10. General Shufter reports that by the surronder of Santiago his prisoners number between twelvo and fifteen fliou-

LONGED SITTINGS OF THE COMMIS-

The Commissioners appointed to nirange the details of the capitulation of Santiago include Mr Mason, the British Vice Consul, who is acting for the Spaniards: The Commissioners have held prolonged sittings, July 18 .- Communication between Marshal Blanco at Havana and Madrid has

Santisgo is now in charge of the Muni-

When the Spanish Garrison at Santingo turned General Toral's sword, and afterwards rode with the Spanish Commander day, when the jury returned a unanimous through the city taking over formal possesof their native liests. Work like this is sion, the ceremony at the Palace being an elaborate function. American launches yesterday removed

July 10 .- A proclamation issued by Mr ty of causing grievous hurt on a harmless,

transferred from Fort Geary to Manila. McKinley provides for the government of Sanfingo and of the province. All ports geons, one a young sergoant and two pri- and places occupied by Americans are to be from Guam. The sergeant, a young fellow, terms. Native constabulary and ordinary rate during the last three months. The tribunals are to be retained.

GUANTANAMO AND CAIMAMERA SURRENDER In accordance with the terms of capitulation of Santiago, Spanish Garrisons at Guantanamo and Caimamera surrendered to the

Americans yesterday. The total number of Spanish prisoners is 22,780, far exceeding the force under Genoral Shafter's command.

There is a growing tension between Americans and the Cuban Insurgents. The latter are indignant, because Santiago, has not been transferred to them (eneral Garcia, the Insurgent Leader, refused to attend the ceremony of hoisting American flags over Santiago, since which no communication has been held between the two camps. The American officers and men do not conceal their feeling of contempt for the the Cubans, and it is predicted that there Oity of Peking, and has suffered from will be en early collision between the Ameri-

cans and meurgents. THE REUTRALITY OF MOROCCO. July 17 .- The Moorish Government concentrating a considerable force in the vicinity of Centa and Melilla to guard the Morocco frontier and maintain Moorish neutrality in the Spanish-American War,

THE BISLEY MEET. July 18 .- England has wen the Elcho

Challenge shield. CONCLUSION OF THE ZOLA TRIAL. The Zola Trial at Versailles has conclud ed. After the rejection by the Court of at application by M. Zola's counsel disputing the competency of the Council of War t Initiate the prescoution, the defendants lot udginent go by default. MM. Zola and Perricux have each been sentenced to one year's imprisonment and a fine of three

STRDAR RITCHERER'S CHIEF OF STARF Major General Rundle has been appointed Chief of Sirder Kitchenor's staff in the

THE THIST LOCAL GOVENNERT BILL July 19,-The House of Commons have passed the third reading of the Irish Indeed Jovernment Bill. TORGUNING THE BOYAN INTHE-ANOTHER

The Standard states that Lord Wolselev Jas. L. Stickney, the Special Correspond of the Royal Irish, apparently as a further is about to be appointed Colonel in Chin acknowledgment of the injustice done in sending the regiment to the rear from the A STRANCE IN THE MEDITER.

The I'. & O. s.s. Carthage passing Malta on Sunday, signalled that snother Lascar on board had been stricken with Plague; but in a mild form. The vessel couse quently proceeds direct to London, without calling at Marseilles. There was a plague case on the Carthage at Aden. -Ed. C.M.1

DEATH OF MRS LYNN LINTON. Allahabad, June 16 .- The Pioneer has received a teleram from London announoing the destir of Mrs Lynn Linton, autho-

INTERESTING CRICKET EVENT AT LORDS. The feture cricket match, Gentlemen w. Players, next Monday at Lords, will be the. occasion of Dr W. G. Grace's jubilee, it Mr Jernigan, we are told, is a lawyer of who will have played in this match for thirty-four years consecutively.

The following are the teams :- Gendlemen. -Dr Grace, Mesara Maclaren, Stoddert, Jackson, Mason, Woods, Macgregor, Townsend, Dixon and Kortweight, and Captain Wynyard Players. - Shrewsbury, Lookwood, Storer, Lilley, Tunnioliffe, Haig, the two Hearnes, Gunn, Abel, and Bruckwell. RHSIGNATION OF AN EX-DABINET MINISTER.

The Right Hon, Arthur Herbert Dyke. Aoland, M.P., for the Rotherham Division of the West Riding of Yorkshire, has resigned his spat in the House of Commons. [Mr Acland, who is 51 years of age, and who was Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education, with a seat in the Cabinet, from 1892 to 1895, is a Liberal and has say for Rotherham Division since 1885, since when he has been opposed but is still being pumped out, and the water in once, vis, in 1862 when he commanded a

diritian in Links. Cultured July 15 .- A savage and Vince-Champang y Olarete.

Eavite, 22 de Julio de 1975.

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that the murder was prearranged. Three Pathans have been arrested, against whom there is good evidence. Two laid in wait for the victim on the road, and fell upon him with axes. The third who took no part in the netual muider has made cortain confessions. Mr Baker. Sub-divisional Officer of the Chachar Hills, is investigating the case.

THE DEATH AND PUNEBAL OF A

HYDERABAD NOTABLE. July 18.-After a protracted and painful illness, His Excellency, the Nawah, Sir Ashmanjar Bahadur, ex-Prime Minister of Hyderalisd, passed away on Saturday. The death has caused widespread serrow. The deceased who was immensely pop ir, was buried in the evening, and the fu .al was most imposing. The Nizam has returned to Hyderabad from a shooting excursion,

THE TEWSON MURDER CASE. Avisabella, July 18 .- On instructions recoived from the Prosecuting Department. Cornolis Silva, the first accused in the Towson Murder Case, has been committed for trial at the Supreme Court during the present criminal sessions.

" THE BURNING OF THE GANGES. Rombay, July 19, -The Marine Court inquiry into the burning of the P. & O. s. s. Ganges came to the conclusion that the fire probably originated in the cabin of the stowardess, who was humed to death. The Court acquitted the officers and orew from

MORE PLAQUE-IN BOHBAY PRESIDENCY. The weekly Plague returns for Presidency show a further increase of cases and deaths;

DEATH OF A LEADING PARSER, Sir Jamsetjes Jeojesbhoy died yesterday, This leading Parses was the third to hold the title. He was still youngs and was gifted. He will be succeeded by a brother, we believe.

THE AMIT OF BORHARA ARRESTS AND ENGLISH TRAVELLER. Mr Cobbold, an Englishman, who had accompanied Captain Deasy to Chinese

Turkostan, and who, it is understood, held, Russian permission to shoot on the Pamirs. has been arrested, by the Amir of Bokhara's orders, at Kila Wamar, at the junction ofthe Murghabs and Oxus rivers. Calcutta, July 20 -The murder case against the Gunners was concluded yesterverdict of not guilty of the charges of mur-

der and culpable homicide; but guilty of grievous hurt. The Chief Justice in delivoring a sentence of seven years' rigorous i aprisonment each, expressed regret that three British soldiors should be found guil-CARCUTTA PLAGUE CHART. The Hearth Department has issued a Plague chart showing the weekly death

hope is suggested that the Plague is losing its virulence, an I that the rains are not favourable to the increase of the disease. which is assuming more an endemic than an epidemic form. IMPORTANT FOOTBALL CHAMPIONERIP

One most important fixture of the In

dian Football Association Championship matches was played yesterday, when the Calcutta Rangers defeated Dalhousie Club -one goal to nil. Both teams gave a plendid exhibition of the game. BANK OF MADICAN

The Bank of Madras rate of discount has seen reduced to B per cent, LORD ELGINE'S SUCCESSOR.

Sinks, July 14th .- No information has yet reached the Government of India regarding Lord Elgin's successor. The return home of Lord Aberdeen, who is Lady Burleigh's brother, from Canada, however, somewhat increases the probabity of Lord Burloigh's accepting the appointment, on this will relieve Lady Burleigh of the sole charge of her aged mother. No decision regarding Lord Elgiu's visit to Burms can be arrived at until the date of

his successor's arrival is known. THE MURDER OF DR SIECAL. The case in which three Gunners, Raid. Wicks, and Wyune, of the 48th Field Battery, R.A., Barrackknore, stand charged with having caused the dunth of Dr Sircar, was resumed yesterday in the High Court before the Chief Justice. Three more witnesses were examined and arrese examined by the presecution, but their

evidence was only formal.

A RECENT visitor to the new German station at Ribbshou Bay in do inted with it as a future-watering-place, a commercial port, and a naval station. The cost found in the violatty has been tried and funni equal to Cardiff, and no one; he leaves, is more rislighted with this German acquistion that Prince Henry of Prussie, -27. O. Dally

As the Kultuafoo was coming down the River her last-trip, Fays the N.-C. Daily News, thirteen this ves got on at one of the stations, and attacked the passengers with the intention of robbing them, just as the next station was reached. Capt. Bassett mustored all hands and attacked the thieres. in turn, capturing eight of them, five excaping in the busts that came alongside at the station. On arriving at Shanghai, Capt. Bassett handed over his captives to the French police, who recognised five of them at once as well-known old river-thieves.

THE N. O. Dady News of the 27th July says :- The case of the Bank of China. Japan, and the Straits against certain Chinese shareholders has been postponed on account of the recent Joss-House trouble. The case will be heard before the Taotai and the British Consul-General. Messrs. Dowdell and Hanson appear for the Bank and Mr T. R. Jernigan for shareholders. in the Courts of his own country, having recaived his license from the Supreme Court qualifying him to practice in any Court of the United States.

Ar a meeting of military and naval members held at Westminster on 27th June, the following resolution was passed :- That this meeting of the Committee of the service members of the House of Commonsdesire to assure Her Majesty's Covernment that the members of the Committee will appoint the Government inside and outside of Parliament in incurring such expenditure as may be necessary to remove all doubt as to the substantial superiority of the British. fleet in face of any probable hostile come. bination of naval Powers, and that stens he taken to acquaint the Government wills the views of the Committee.

IT IS REMARKABLE, CIAYS MR W. WILSON, THE PO-PULLAR Chemist at RAWALPINDS and MURRER How Chambertain's Cough flamedy has attained a pruningnes in this district, and though it has only been inthat is possesses exceptional qualifies. I

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUOTION.

TITHE Undersigned have received instructions from H. M. NAVAL STOREBERRE to Soli, by Public Austion, TO-MORROW,

the 3rd Angust, 1898, at Noon, at 11. M NAVAL YARD,-SUNDRY ..

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37; Queon's Road, Hongkong. Hongkong, July 25, 1898.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 3 0.

HE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Augrion, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 8th day of August, 1898, at 3 p.in., are published for general information. 🗅 By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH, Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE: Hougkong, 23rd July, 1898.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 8th day of August, 1893, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Excel-lency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land, together with Building Material stacked thereon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years. Particulars of the Lot.

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All Damaged Packages will be examined JE TUESDAY, the 9th Inst., at S p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, August 9, 1898. Not Responsible for Debts.

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TU-ULLY'S AUVORUSOINON IS

MRAUER-GOTTESDIENST Captain Rosson, will be Zum Gedaechtniss an nasern Alt Reicheka, den Fuersten Biamarck am Donnerstag den 4:en August, 1898, Abenda 6 Uhr_

in der deutschen Kapelle "Betheada."

A Memorial Service for the late Prince BISMARCK will be held on THURSDAY, 4th August 1898, at 6 p.m. at the German Chapel "BETHESDA." Hongkong, August 2, 1898.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS, August 1.

Sishan, British str., 84 , Holton, Saigon For BANGKOK .-July 24, Ries and Med. - BRADLEY & Co. Idzumi Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,919, R. Nunome, Bombay Jay 11, and Singapore 27, General. - Niprosi Yusen Kaisha. Inaba Maru, Japaness steamer, 3,838, W. Bainbringe, Kobe July 27, General .-NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

August 2. Wingsang, British atr , from Canton, Chipmen, Chinese str., from Canton. Empress of China, British str., 3 003, R. Aronib Id, R.N.R., Vanc uver, B.C., July 11, Mails and General. -C. P. R. Co. Salazie, French steamer, 2,088 Sellier,

Marseilles July 3, and Saigon 30, Mails and General, -MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. Tantalus, British steamer, 2.281. Wm. . Il mah, Forchow July 31, General .-1463 EUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Siegfried, Germ in steamer, 909, Schu'z,

Moh July 21, Coal, -MEYER & C. Bainan, German str., 628. F. Clausen, Chefoo July 24, General, -Signssen & Co Mailoong, British steamer, 784. A. J. Robinn, Tamaui July 29, Amoy 31, and Swatow August I, General - Douglas STEAMSHIP Co.

Fortuna, Norwegian s'camer, 1,921, R. Christophen, Amoy August 1, General .-SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.

DEPARTURES. August 1. Machen, for Swatow. August 2.

Meefuo, for Ounton, Loongmoon, for Canton. Pakling, for Si gapore and London. Fushun, for Shrughai, Kwongsang, for H ngay, Sabins Rickmers, for Koetl, Phranang, for Bangkok. Haitun, for Swatow. Benvenue, for R ngoon. Asphodel for Hollo Salanie, for Shanghai.

CLEARED. Inaba Maru, for Singspore and Loudon. Tantalus, for Singapore and London. Formosa, for Amoy. Hailan, for Hoihow.

PASSENGERS,

Per Sishan, from Saigon, 200. Chinese. Per Empriss of China, from Vancouver, &c., Messra J. H. Stewar Lockhart, B. Baldwin, E. C. H chappel, Rev. F. Flynn, Mr and Mrs Powell, Mr L. F. M. Dumont, Col. the O'Gorman, Lt. and Mrs Bagnall-Wild, Mr D. Earnebaw, Mr S. Isasco, Mr and Mrs Hawkins, Mrs F. C. Edwards, Mr Bennerman, Mr and Mrs de la Poor, Mr H Schwer, Mr H. E. Abdools, Mrs Frampton, Mrs Mather, Mesers Tyndale-Les, A. B. Smith, and W. F. Lawson, 4

Intermediate and 75 Steerage. Per Salazie, for Hongkong : from Singapare, Messra Herrison, Histor, Roth, José Saller, Konishij, Ashkla, Meerkamp, and P. Meerkamp. Me and Mrs Ellis and child; from S.igon, Mr. Ong Ka-tiong, and 281 Chinese, For Shanghal; from Marseilles, Mr Voullemier, Count de Bretouil and servant, Meiera Leprince Ringust, Binon, and Tavarce ; from Singapore, Mrs Paul and child ; from Saigen, Mr Ruffier." For N gasaki : from Marseilles, Mr Artenrieff; from Colombe, Mr and Mrs Kaphme, Mr and Mrs Uchida and child. For Kobe i from Mamilles, Mr Romeo Delourme ; from Colombo, Mr Asakma. For Yokohama; from Marseilles, Messra Repenn and Watelet; from Singapore, Mr Kate | from Salgon, Mr. and Mrs Larne, Mesers Hartog and Prosper Lapsy.
Per Hailoong, from Tamaut, &c., Miss Mackebele, Measrs Bunjo and T. S. Soak

and 83 Ohinene. Per Salonis, from Hongkong: for Shange hal, Mr H. S. Cooke, Miss F. da Bilva, Miss M. Machado, Mr Ng Wab, and 1 Indian | for Nagas iki, Mrs K. More | for Kobo, Mr Wo Cheong. I Chinese woman and 2 children; and 1 Chinese | for Yokohame, Surgeon-Captain Pyrme, Mr R. A. de T. ledo and servant, Mr Hardy, Mrs M. A. Duggan and 2 children, Me W. Bleyney, Mrs Ackers, and Miss Ackers.

CHIPPING REPORTS, The British Monther Siehan reports Fresh to moderate following wind and see bloudy sky. July 81, spoke ahuwing nume her M. M. W. A. 192 Hongkons, M. Ol. O.

Light to moderate N E'ly winds and clear. The British steamer Hailcons reports: Temeui to Amoy, light S'y wind and fine. Amey to Swatow, light Wily wind and fine, Swatow to Hongkong, light Westerly wind and fine, with heavy E sterly swell. Steamers in Amoy : Fortuna, Kashing and Kiingnan: Strs. in Swatow : Canton, Whampia, Yungching, Cheang Hock Kian, and Haman.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For MANILA .-Per Zafira, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd August. For HAIPHONG .-

Por Hanoi, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd August. Per Devawongse, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd August.

For SINGAPORE -Per asturia, at noon, on Wednesday, the Srd August. For FOOCHOW & SHANGBAL .-Per Fooksang, at 1.30 p.m., on Wednes-

day, the 3rd August, For AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Rimen Maru at 2.30 p.m., on Wodn stay, the 3rd August. For NINGPO.-Per cheyuen at 2 30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd August

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL. Per Wingsang, at 2.39 p.m., on Wednes. day, the 3rd August. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS LAND, COOKTOWN, B. ISBANE, SYDNEY & MELOOURNE.-Per Guthrie, at 3.50 p.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd August.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI .-Per Hailvong, at 9 30 a.m., on Thursday, the Ita August, For SINGAPORE, SAMARANG & SUURABAYA.-Per Chun any, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 4th August.

For KOBE & YOKOHAMA.-Per Idzumi Maru, at 3.30 p.in., on Toursday, the 4th August. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOODBOW,-Per Haitan, at 9.30 a.m., on Friday, the 5th August. For SHANGHAI, CHEFOO, CHEMUL-

PO; NAGASAKI, FUSAN, GENSAN & VLADIVOSTOCK .-Per Sendui Mars, at 11,30 a.m., on Friday, the 5th August. For SHANGHAI -Per Loongmoon, at 8.30 p.m., on Friday, the oth August.

For STRAITS & CALCUTTA. -Per Chelydla, at 10 a.m., on Baturlay, For AMUY, MOJI, KOBE, YORO. HAMA, VIOTORIA & TACOMA,-Per Olympia, at 10 a.m., on Baturday, the bin August.

For KOBE, YOU OHAMA & SEATTLE. Per Kinshin Maru, at 5,30 p.m., on Saturday, the S.h August, For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Robilla, at 5 p.m., on Sacurday, the 6th August.

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L d., payable. General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, August 4:-Goods por Chelydra undelivered after 4 p.m this date landed. Goods per Ospack undelivered after this date subject to rent. FRIDAY, August 5 :---

3 p.m. - Auction of Leasehold Properties, at Nos. 9', 94, 96 to 112, &c., Queen's R ad East, by Mr. G.o. P. Lammert. Transfer Books of The Hougkong Hotel O., L'd., closed from this date to the 18th August, both days inclusive. Goods per Ebani undelivered after this date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, August 6 :-Goods por Indravilli undelivered after this date subject to rent. Monday, August 8 :-

3 p.m.-Auction of Crown Land at Bridges, Rezerio, and Ludder Streets, Taiping han. Transfer, Books of The Hongkorg and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd.; closed from this date to the 22nd August, both days inclusive.

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In New York City, on 9th June, 1898. Prue, second Daughter of Captain and Mrs W. E. Hunt; aged 16 years and 9 months. Dividend of \$1 on shares of Hongkong, The publication of this issue commenced Canton and Macao Steamboat . Co., at 5.40 p.m.

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HONGRONG, TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1898.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THEOUGH RECTER. OUTWARD BOUND :- Courie, Samoa, May 27 : Howick Hall, June 3 ; Rutho, Ichang, 13; Coningsby, Drumgarth, 21 Kintuck, Andalusia, 28; Gisela, July 1; Glenogle, Surpedon. Socatra, 8; Bellona, Sarnia, St. Jerome, 12; Benturig, Ixion, Indus, 15; Manila, Niebe, Hyson, Glaucus, Kherson, Octavia, Silesia, 22 Darmstadt, Sydney, Chazee, Marou, Nijni Norgorod, 26; Menelaus, Orefold, Mourino, Trieste. 29.

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Pyrrhus, Sachsen, Yarra, July 10; Java, Myrmidon, Queen Margaret, 26; Kriemhild, 29.

PASSED ANJER. OUTWARD :-- June 2-British ship Cambrian Hills, Capt, Evans, for Shanghai, from New York Feb. 17; June 2-Dutch steamer

Lombok, Capt. Evans, for Batavia, from Amsterdam April 23; June 5-German brig Preus, Capt. Nodop, for Singapore, from Port Elizabeth May 1. Homeward :- June 1-Dutch steamer Prinses Amalia, Capt. Turfboir, from Batavia June 1 for Amsterdam.

The O. & O. Co.'s a. s. Gaelie, with mails &c. left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 26th July.

Steinners Expected. The H. A. L. str. Snevin, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 28th July, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd August

expected to arrive here on 5th Aug. The E. A. Co.'s s. s. Malaya left Singapore on the afternoon of 30th July, and may be expected here on or about the 5th August. The C. N. Co.'s str. Kinkian , from Glasgow, left Singapore on the morning of 30th July, and may be expected here on or about Friday, 5th August.

The N. G. I. s. s. Letimbro left Singapore be expected here about the 5th Aug. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Juson left Singa pore on the afternoon of the 30th July, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 5th Aug. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Dardanus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the after-noon of the 30th July, and may be

expected here on or about Friday, the Special Commissioner to report on the 5th Aug. The s. s. St. Jerome, from Middles-Empress of China looking hale and hearty bro', Rotterdam and Antwerp, passed the Canal on the 12th July, and is ex- after his short holiday. Mr Lockhart has pected to arrive at Singapore on or about the 3rd August.

The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Peshamur left loon Concession, and after completing his Bombay for this port on the afternoon of the 26th July. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Columbia sailed from Tecoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 20th July.

Latest Advices.

The s. s. Lightning, from Calcutts, left Singspore for this port on the afternoon of lat August. mails &c., left Shanghai for this port | When Sergeaut Gourlay entered the house on Monday night, the 1st Aug., at 12

No., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yukohama, Inland Sca, Kobe, Nagssaki and Shan hai, on the The N. P. Co. s a. s. Britenday has arrived at Yokobama, and sailed for Kobe and Hongkong, on the 1st Au

Victoria from Hongkong and Japan on the 20th July. THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Bometries Pitzipios. Esq., to be Her Majosty's Vice-Consul at

YESTERDAY, the dead body of a Chinaman house at Shaukiwan by a rope. He supposed to have committed suicide. WATERS MANUFACTURED BY US THE German steamer Trinuted left Sings- vicinity. pore on July 23 for Manlia, where, after

> to Kisochau to be used as a hulk. THE Secretary of the Punjom Mining Company, Limited, advises us that he has received the following telegram from the Mines giving the result of the July alean-

tons, yielding 212 oze, of smalled gold. The Mill is idle for want of water. VESSELS AT THE DOURS !- At Konicon Isidoro Pons, Ning-show, Panotscot, Freit Thales, Kinshiu Maru.

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WE understand that two more cadets are coming out to the Civil Service in Hong-

nese visitors to the City, Hall Museum during the week ending Sist July.

H.M.S. Barfleur serived from Weihai-wei yesterday, flying the paying-off pennant. The Blenheim with reliefs is expected here in a few days.

The new Chinese cruiser Hai Chen, built at Stettin for the Chinese Government, and sister ship to the cruisor Hai Yung, which passed through here a short time ago, is expected in Hongkong very shortly.

The German Consulate, German Club and the German houses in the Colony have their flags half-masted as a mark of respect for the late Prince Bismarck. A memorial service will be held in the German Chapel on Thursday, Mr. W. Machell, the popular Secretary of

the Victoria Recreation Club, is a passonger for home by the Inaba Marie. Mr Machell goes home on twelve months' leave. Before leaving he was presented with a handsome silver bowl from the members of the V.R.C.

THERE is a rumour in the dockyards, says the L. and O. Express, that more additions are shortly to be made to the China Squadron, though the ships to be selected are not named, and no one is able to quota any good authority for the 'shave.' There is probably some truth in it, though how the rumour originated is beyond us.

THE final Match, of the Polo Tournament,

R. A. r. The King's Own, will take place at 5.30 to morrow afternoon, when Colonel -Rowlandson and the officers of the King's Own will be 'At Home' on the ground, The teams will be :- The King's Own -Mr Morrah 1, Captain Paton 2, Mr Johnson 3, The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Descution will leave and Captain Laurie 4; R. A .- Captain Borneo on 30th June, and may be Thwaltes 1, Mr Hudson 2, Captain Simmond 3; Captain Burney 4. A NOTIFICATION appears in the Shanghai

papers signed by Captain King Hall, R.N., and Mr Consul Hopkins, Commissioners for Weihniwei, that no sales of land on the island of Liukungtao or within the Inner on the morning of 31st July, and may Zone on the Mainland, made since the 24th of May last, will be recognised as legal; until it has been referred to the British Commissioner or Administrator for ap-How. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, C.M.G.,

Kowloon Concession, arrived to-day by the

returned solely in connection with the Kow-

work in this connection will return to make a verbal report to the Home Authorities. Hon. T. Sercombe Smith will continue to perform the duties of Colonial Secretary. The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Chusan, with the In connection with the larceny of several ENGLISH MAIL of 8th July, left Singa- srticles belonging to the officers of the pore on Sunday, the 31st July, at 1 steamer Guthric, reported in our yester-p.m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 5th August. This. day's issue, we learn the arrest of the Packet brings replies to letters Maley quartermaster was very smartly despatched from Hongkong on 4th effected by Police Sergeant Courley. When the Police officer was informed of the larceny he at once suspected the Malay, The O. & O. Co. a s. a. Contic, with and traced bir to a house in the town.

the quartermaster behaved in a very sus-

The O. & O. Co.'s a. c. Belgio, with mails | pinious manner, and on being scarched the

abolen property was found in his possession. H.E. the Officer Administering the Covernment has recognised the gallantry of Li Sing one of the crew of the Guiding The N. P. Co. a s. s. Tycome arrived at | Stare who jumped into the harbour on June 19, and rescued two of the occupants of a sampan from drowning, by a presentation of \$10. The Guiding Star was crossing the harbour in very squally weather, and when half-way across a sampan which had just been passed was observed to have been overturned by a audden gust of wind. The launch turned back, and Li Sing jumped was found suspended from the door of his into the water and saved two of the occupants. The other occupants of the sumpan were rescued by several sampans in the

transferring her cargo of coal to the ships In a letter to the Times, Mr Francis Parry, makers to be equal to those of their own of the German squadron, she is to proceed an ex-Member of the Legislative Council of Hongkoug, speaks of offering induce. ments to the local authorities of Kwang. tung to assist in the building of a rallway from Kowloon to Canton. He says : From Canton to Kau-lung is a distance of less than 100 miles along the left bank of _ the Pearl river. Boyond the capital of the province till Nan-ning-fou, the waterway conveys marchandise to and from the interior | but the Meling pass, the ancient route, resched, a failway to begin northseat of the range below She-pa-tan, the 18 cataracia, is required. Approaching the mountains from that direction the ascent from the plain to the summit is 1,000 ft.; the route to be dealt with are sandstone. Kaniung and the adjoining district under our rule will become a great depôt, drawing the surplus population from the overtrowded dity of Victoria opposits. With situs for building at a moderate post and law with order secured, the autive, unterprising native merchants of Centon will bot fell to take an interest is the place.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN.
ARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corror. ATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hong-kong, on SATURDAY, the 13th day of August Next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 39th June, 1898.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 23, 1898. THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION.

TOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the Soth July current, to the 13th day of August Next, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of SHARES can be Registered,

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager, Hongkong, July 23, 1898.

HONGKONG BOTEL COMPANY, limited.

NOTICE.

THE Ordinary Hall-Yearly MERTING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Horst on THURSDAY, the 18th August, at Noon, for the purpose of Receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 80th June, 1898, with N'SARI, ROBE, & the Report, of the Directors, and to disours any matters that may be competently broug t before the Meet g The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be U. OSED from the 5th to the 18th August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.

C MO NEY. Hongkong, July 28, 1898.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE 'C. LIMITED. NOTICE.

TROM This Date, during the absence of Mr. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE from the Colony, Mr. GEO. L. TOMEIN has been

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Chairman. Hongkong, July 20, 1898.

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pany will be OLOBED from the 8th to 22ud By Order of the Board of Directors, THOS. L. ROSE.

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